29th, Saint Cloud:

The negotiations drag. The outcome is very doubtful.

81st. (To the Princess Augusta.) My Daughter: I have read your letter of the 10th of August with great pleasure. I thank you for all your compliments. Take great care of yourself in your present state, and try not to give us a daughter, I could give you the recipe, but you wouldn't believe me: it is to drink a little pure wine every day,

September 5th. The altered conditions in Europe make it necessary that I should seriously consider the .situation of my armies.

(To Marshal Berthier.) Send engineer officers to reconnoitre carefully and in all directions the debouches of the roads leading from Bamberg to Berlin.

8th. (To Lueehesini.) I always carry my heart in my head. I shall undertake a war against Prussia, only for the honour of my country and the security of my allies. If your young officers and women at Berlin want war, they shall have it; I am preparing to satisfy them. But all my ambition* turn on Italy; there i$_t$s a mistress whose favours I will divide with none.

10th. The attitude of Prussia is still provocative. They are dying to be taught a gowl lesson.

(To Oaulameourt,) Have all my field glasses overhauled. Send oft sixty horses from itiy stublcs to-morrow, including eight of my saddlebows. Do this *na* secretly w possible. To-morrow have my baggage carts got ready. One of them must carry a tent and an iron IKH!, The tent must be stout, ant! not a grand opera, tent. You can add a few thick carpets. You will srwi off with the IJOMPM to-morrow my little campaign ing chaise.